



SPANISH AS A FOREIGN LANGUAGE CURRICULUM (ELE)

MODULE 7 (B2.1)



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40 hours.

Materials:

- Puerta Real platform.
- Aula Internacional Plus 4 (units 1 to 3).

General objectives:

- a) The student will be able to have simple conversations in immediate and familiar contexts.



- b) The discourse will be understandable, although pauses to plan the interaction and to select the vocabulary or grammar are normal.
- c) The student will show reasonable control over simple linguistic structures, but there will be some vocabulary or grammar imperfections.

Assessment of the 4 skills:

Oral expression and interaction (EIO)	Listening comprehension (CA)	Continuous assessment	25%	100%
		Auditory-oral project	25%	
Written expression and interaction (EIE)	Reading comprehension (CL)	Continuous assessment	25%	
		Writing and reading exam	25%	



Session 1 (4 hours)

Specific objective: describing our interaction with mass media.

- **Communicative resources:**
 - Expressing mass media and social media consumption habits.
 - Making dialogues about the content of the news in different channels.
- **Grammar contents:**
 - Use of the present indicative to show talk about present habits.
 - Descriptive structure: 'se trata de' + noun + 'que' + clause/ '¿de qué se trata?'
- **Vocabulary:**
 - Media vocabulary: 'noticias, podcast, blogs'.
 - Nouns and verbs for headlines: 'el aumento (aumentar), la caída (caer)'.
 - The 6 questions of journalism: 'qué, quién, dónde, cuándo, cómo, por qué'.
- **Intonation and pronunciation**
 - Emphasis when reading news headlines.

Session 2 (4 hours)

Specific objective: expressing memories about emotions and events linked to social media.

- **Communicative resources:**
 - Identifying narrative structures of journalism.
 - Contrasting ways of expressing the past according to the happening or the time lapse.
- **Grammar contents:**
 - Uses and differences between pasts: 'pretérito indefinido, pretérito imperfecto, pretérito perfecto y pretérito pluscuamperfecto'.
 - Referential expressions: 'lo de/l / la/ los/ las' + noun; 'lo que' + conjugated verb.
- **Vocabulary:**
 - Social media: nouns and verbs.
 - Expressions to continue a conversation: '¿en serio?, ¿de verdad?, ¡qué dices!, que sí, en serio, de verdad'.
- **Intonation and pronunciation**



- Double sound of 'y': construir **y** construyó.

Session 3 (4 hours)

Specific objective: telling historical events with a journalist style.

- Communicative resources:

- Expressing historical events with emphasis in the actions.
- Conveying the information given by other speakers.

- Grammar contents:

- The passive voice with the verb 'ser' (to be) in the past, present and future: 'ser' + participle.
- The impersonal conjugation of the third person plural: 'la vieron, lo contactaron'.

- Vocabulary:

- Journalistic information verbs: 'confesar, decir, admitir, recordar, insistir'.
- Vocabulary related to historical and political events.

- Intonation and pronunciation

- Intonation in diphthongs and linking words because of the vowels: 'fue inaugurado, han sido automatizados'.

Session 4 (4 hours)

Specific objective: giving and evaluating the speakers' opinions .

- Communicative resources:

- Giving opinions about tourism.
- Summarizing a person's ideas to tell them to another person.
- Contrasting ideas and offering arguments to be for or against them.

- Grammar contents:

- Opinion structures: 'para mí es' + evaluative adjective; 'a mí me gusta...; yo prefiero' + noun/ infinitive.
- Structures to support or contradict an argument: 'es cierto que' + clause; 'pues yo no creo que' + clause; 'pues a mí no me parece así, pues' + clause.

- Vocabulary:

- verbs to evaluate the speakers' ideas: 'ayudar, contribuir, hacer que, repercutir, contribuir, atribuir'.
- Expressions to describe touristic activities: 'masificar, fomentar la cultura, activar la economía, mantener las tradiciones, aumentar los precios mejorar/ empeorar la calidad de vida, gentrificar'.



- Intonation and pronunciation

- o Intonation of open (a, e, o) and closed (i, u) vowels.

Session 5 (4 hours)

Specific objective: reinforcing the listening comprehension and the oral expression and interaction.

CONVERSATION CLUB:

Friendship and romance intercultural relationships.

- a) Points of view.
- b) Telling past experiences related to the topic.
- c) Classify the opinions in three groups: for, against, not sure.
- d) Justifying our own opinions and replying to other people's arguments.
- e) Giving a summary of the ideas expressed in class and a conclusion for the topic.

AUDITORY-ORAL PROJECT (SUGGESTED):

Individual work:

- a) Listening to a text twice and answering the questions related to the meaning and use of words and expressions in the text.

Work in couples:

- b) Preparing a presentation about the destinations that each couple would like to visit (cultural, food, geographical, historical or artistic reasons).

Group work:

- c) Participating in a dialogue about the presentations that the different couples have made.

Session 6 (4 hours)

Specific objective: organizing ideas in a text to explain an argument.

- Communicative resources:

- o Writing a coherent argumentative text.
 - o Expressing agreement or disagreement with the speakers' arguments.

- Grammar contents:

- o Structures to introduce, amplify, summarize and conclude information: 'en primer lugar, además, en fin, en resumen'.
 - o More structures to support or debate an argument: 'yo veo/ no veo que + sentence in indicative/ subjunctive; no está/ está claro que + sentence in subjunctive/ indicative; es absurdo/ me parece genial que + sentence in subjunctive'.



- **Vocabulary:**

- o Linkers to organize the discourse.
- o Expressions to imply agreement or disagreement.

- **Intonation and pronunciation**

- o Intonation of the comma in linkers of organisation: 'por un lado,... además,... en resumen'.

Session 7 (4 hours)

Specific objective: discussing different perspectives to negotiate and agreement.

- **Communicative resources:**

- o Asking for and giving an opinion.
- o Expressing our own proposal and supporting or rejecting other people's ones.

- **Grammar contents:**

- o Structures to give opinions and proposals.
- o Conditional linkers with subjunctive: 'a condición de que, siempre que, siempre y cuando, con la condición de que, a no ser que'.
- o Conditional linkers with indicative: ' si, sólo/ únicamente si, incluso si'.

- **Vocabulary:**

- o Expressions to ask for and give an opinion: '¿cómo lo ves? ¿estamos de acuerdo?; bueno, a ver..., pues,..., perdona, una cosa respecto a lo que acabas de decir'.
- o Expressions to make, support or reject a proposal: 'tenemos dos opciones..., yo apoyo vuestra propuesta..., bueno, no me parece; bueno, yo no lo veo bien'.

- **Intonation and pronunciation**

- o Inflexions in the pronunciation for the exchange of turns in a discussion (ask for turn, take the turn, give the floor, change turns).

Session 8 (4 hours)

Specific objective: describing and giving opinions about particular activities which are possible to carry out.

- **Communicative resources:**

- o Talking about costumes and particular traditions.



- Expressing opinions about risky sports.
- Expressing like or dislike with activities.

- **Grammar contents:**

- Lo que + conditional + es + infinitive.
- Comparative opinions: para mí, es **más** + evaluative adjective + noun + **que** + noun.
- Conditionals to express possibility: 'lo haría o no lo haría'.

- **Vocabulary:**

- Risky sport nouns.
- Categorical expressions: 'ni aunque me pagaran, de ninguna manera, tengo pánico a..., por supuesto que sí, de mil amores, con (mucho) gusto lo haría.'
- Expressions to describe new activities: 'consiste en..., se considera/ está considerada como..., se practica en/ con..., existe desde..., se popularizó en...'

- **Intonation and pronunciation**

- Emphasis in categorical expressions: 'por supuesto que sí, de **ninguna** manera'.

Session 9 (4 hours)

Specific objective: reacting to new information and proposing imaginary situations.

- **Communicative resources:**

- Showing lack of knowledge towards new information.
- Talking about history and traditions.
- Expressing possibility.

- **Grammar contents:**

- '(Yo) no sabía que' + imperfect indicative/ past perfect indicative/ impersonal expression 'hay'.
- Difference between 'estar' and 'haber' in impersonal form to show presence: 'estaban José y Alejandra/ había dos personas'.
- Distinction between some uses of the present indicative and conditional.

- **Vocabulary:**

- Vocabulary about archeological sites.
- More risky sports nouns.
- Negative expressions with 'tampoco': 'yo tampoco sabía, tampoco conocía, a mí tampoco'.



- Intonation and pronunciation

- Distinction between sounds in the imperfect and conditional (with verbs ending in -er, -ir in their infinitive form): **seguía - seguiría, quería - querría, podía - podría, vivía - viviría**

Session 10 (4 hours)

Specific objective: suggesting or giving advice for difficult situations and reacting to hypothetical situations.

- Communicative resources:

- Expressing fears and phobias.
- Giving advice or suggesting with different levels of emphasis.
- Describing hypothetical reactions to imaginary situations.

- Grammar contents:

- Structures without conditional to offer advice and suggestions: '¿Has pensado en' + infinitive?, 'te sugiero/ te aconsejo/ te recomiendo que' + present subjunctive, '¿Por qué no' + present subjunctive?
- Structures with conditional to offer advice and suggestions: 'deberías' + infinitive, 'podrías' + infinitive, 'yo' + conditional, 'yo que tú' + conditional, 'si yo **estuviera** en tu lugar' + conditional.
- Introduction to conjugation of imperfect subjunctive.

- Vocabulary:

- Nouns and verbs related to phobia: 'sentir ansiedad, entrar en pánico, tener miedo a/ de, pasarlo mal/ fatal'.
- Fear expressions: 'tener/ perder el/ superar el/ lidiar con el/ vivir con + miedo' (adjective: 'irracional, enorme').
- Verbs to give advice: 'aconsejar, sugerir, recomendar'.

- Intonation and pronunciation

- Grave accent when conjugating the imperfect of subjunctive (except in 'nosotros'): 'tuviera, llevaras, robaran, quisieramos'.

WRITING AND READING EXAM.

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